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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL (Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))		Attorney Docket No. 520.43077X00	
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		Title STORAGE SYSTEM	
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1002 330	2002 165	Design filing fee				
1003 520	2003 260	Plant filing fee				
1004 750	2004 375	Reissue filing fee				
1005 160	2005 80	Provisional filing fee				
SUBTOTAL (1)			750.00			
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE						
Extra Claims below	Fee from	Fee Paid				
Total Claims 21	-20** = 1	x 18	= 18.00			
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